

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (SMALL ENTITY)

Ser. No.: 10/549,355	Filed: July 31, 2006	Examiner: Jocelin C. Tanner
Art Unit: 4133	Title: Helical Stent	

To the Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. The fee(s) has(have) been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED								
Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	No. of Extra Claims Present	Rate	Additional Rate			
Total Claims	23	Minus	23	0	X \$26	\$0		
Indep. Claims	3	Minus	3	0	X \$110	\$0		
			TOTAL	=	\$0			
<input type="checkbox"/>	No additional fee is believed due however, if this is not the case, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any and all fees to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.							
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Payment for the filing of this Amendment and/or any appropriate extension of time fee(s) is/are authorized to be charged to a Credit Card. The fee(s) is/are being submitted via EFS-Web. If the Credit Card is unable to be charged, please charge any and all fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308. If there are any additional fees required by this communication, please charge same to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.							
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) and request a two month extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action.							

Respectfully submitted,

Fay Sharpe LLP

December 17, 2010

Date

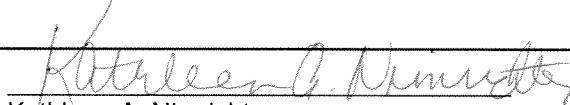

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December 17, 2010

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